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SUBJ: TANZANIAN DELEGATION TO MOZAMBIQUE INDEPENDENCE

1. TANZANIA WILL BE REPRESENTED BY 207 MAN "DELEGATION" AT MOZAMBIKAN INDEPENDENCE CEREMONIES JUNE 25, INCLUDING 47-MAN GOVERNMENT/PARTY DELEGATION HEADY BY PRIME MINISTER RASHIDI KAWAWA AND 160 PEOPLE FROM CULTURAL GROUPS, SPORTS TEAMS, PARASTATAL ORGANIZATION DELEGATIONS, AND THE PRESS. THE 160 NON-GOVERNMENTAL DELEGATES ARE SCHEDULE TO LEAVE FOR MOZAMBIQUE JUNE 18, THE GOVERNMENT DELEGATION ON JUNE 20. ACCORDING TO STATEMENT ISSUED BY MINISTER OF INFORMATION, ALL 207 ARE GUEST OF FRELIMO AND NO FOREIGN EXCHNAGE WILL THEREFORE BE ISSUED TO DELEGATION BY TANZANIA GOVERNMENT.

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2. STAR-STUDDEN TANGOV DELEGATION, IN ADDITION TO PRIME MINISTER, INCLUDES CABINET MINISTER MWAKAWAGO (INFORMATION), MALECELA (FOREIGN AFFAIRS), SIYOVELWA (MINISTER OF STATES), SOKOINE (NATIONAL DEFENSE), AND SARA KIKYA (YOUTH AND CULTURE). TANU PARTY IS ALSO REPRESENTED BY 5 REGIONAL SECRETARIES, 11 REGIONAL CHAIRMEN, AND VARIOUS CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS. ZANZIBAR'S AFRO-SHIRAZI PARTY IS REPRESENTED BY SIX-MAN DELEGATION HEADED BY SHEIKH THABIT KOMBO. OTHERS ON DELEGATION INCLUDE PRINCIPAL SECRETARIES OF FONOFF (A. NYAKYI) AND OF HOME MINISTRY (C.KILEO), DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL SERVICE (N.MKISI), COMMISSIONER OF POLICE (A.SHUNGU), PRINCIPAL COMMISSIONER FOR PRISONS (RAMADHANI NYAMKA) AND BRIGADIER S. MKWERA OF TANZANIAN PEOPLES DEFENSE FORCE.

3. TOP TANZANIAN ATHELETES COMPETING ABORAD, INCLUDING TRACK CHAMPION FILBERT BAYI, WERE PREREMPTORALLY ORDERED TO RETURN TO TANZANIA IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN DELEGATION.

4. TANZANIA WILL HOLD CELEBRATIONS HERE IN HONOR OF MOZAMBICAN INDEPENDENCE FROM JUNE 23-25, AND JUNE 25 HAD BEEN DECLARED PUBLIC HOLIDAY (ON ONE-TIME BASIS).

COMMENT: TANZANIA CONSIDERS ITSELF AS SPIRITUAL AND MATERIAL GODFATHER OF INDEPENDENT MOZAMBIQUE, AND WISHES SHARE TO FULLEST IN MOMENT OF TRIUMPH OF ITS OFFSPRING.

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